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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

In Camarillo, Central Avenue Closed at Ventura Freeway (Highway 101) on Thursday, Sept. 14, from 9 am to 3 pm

Road Work Will Close Central Avenue Bridge and Freeway On- and Off-ramps

CAMARILLO — The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) plans to close the Central Avenue bridge over Highway 101 (the Ventura Freeway) and the freeway on- and off-ramps at Central Avenue on Thursday, Sept. 14, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The bridge and the northbound and southbound on- and off-ramps will be closed to all vehicles while Caltrans workers complete road work. No freeway lanes are scheduled to close.

Detours will be posted while the work is underway, and signs have been posted to inform drivers about the scheduled closure. The schedule is subject to change and weather-permitting.

During the closure, drivers may use the Highway 101 interchange at Springville Drive, east of the closure. West of the closure, drivers may use the Highway 101 interchange at Rice Avenue/Santa Clara Avenue or at Del Norte Boulevard.

On the south side of Highway 101, Central Avenue will be closed at its junction with Ventura Boulevard. On the north side of Highway 101, Central Avenue will be closed just south of its intersection with Daily Drive. The public will have full access to nearby businesses during the closure.

This Caltrans work involves the same location where Caltrans recently repaved Central Avenue at both ends of the bridge. The closure scheduled on Thursday will allow crews to install lane stripes and other pavement markings for traffic movement.

The California Highway Patrol will be on duty. Traffic fines are doubled in work zones. Caltrans reminds drivers to "Be Work Zone Alert" and "Slow for the Cone Zone."

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